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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EEWT, TRD, TH

SUBJECT: THAI-PRC RICE OIL BARTER DEAL

REF: BANGKOK 25034

1. THE FENG YANG, A 14,820 DWT MERCHANT SHIP FROM THE PEOPLES REPUBLIC OF CHINA, DOCKED AT KLONG TOEY ON 22 DECEMBER TO PICK UP 10,000 TONS OF RICE, ACCORDING TO WN ARTICLE IN THE 23 DECEMBER "BANGKOK POST." ACCORDING TO THE "POST" ARTICLE THE FENG YA G IS SCHEDULED TO RETURN TO CHINA EARLY NEXT WEEK WITH THE THAI RICE ANOTHER PRC SHIP IS SCHEDULED TO ARRIVE NEXT WEEK TO LOAD ANOTHER 10,000 TONS.

2. COMMENT: THIS IS THE THIRD SHIPMENT OF 10,000 TONS OF RICE DELIVERED TO CHINA UNDER A BARTER AGREEMENT SIGNED IN NOVEMBER 1975. UNDER THIS AGREEMENT THE CHINESE AGREED TO BARTER 312,129 TONS OF CRUDE AND 251,237 TONS OF HIGH SPEED DIESEL OIL FOR 200,000 TONS  
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OF 15 AND 25 PERCENT THAI RICE. PRESUMABLY THERE WILL BE OTHER

PRC SHIPS CALLING AT BANGKOK IN THE NEAR FUTURE.  
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